MADE BLOODY RECORD.

Two Hundred and Forty-Seven Persons Killed in State Last Year.

According to figures compiled by Prof. Wilson Gee, of the University of South Carolina, 247 people were killed in homicides in South Carolina last year. The tables shows that Kershaw County had five homicides, Florence county leads with 16 killings to her credit, one man alone being responsible for the murder of five in one family, and is now under sentence of electrocution.

"Of all the counties in the state Dorchester county has the only spotless record, there being not one single homicide in the county last year. Florence county had a total of 16 killings, Spartanburg had 14, Charleston and Bamberg 13 each, Anderson 12, and so on down the list.

"The relative rank of the counties, both the number of homicides and the population considered, is shown in the following table compiled from the records of the bureau of vital statistics.". The first column shows number of homicides per county and the second column shows the percentage in each 1000,000 population:

Dorchester	0	.0
Pickens	1	3.5
Lee	1	3.7
Dillon	1	4.6
Georgetown	1	4.6
Calhoun	1	5.4
Clarendon	2	5.7
Chester	2	6.0
Oconee	2	6.6
Fairfield	2	7.4
Marion	2	8.4
Newberry	3	8.4
Berkeley	2	8.9
Richland	7	9.0
Saluda	2	9.1
York	5	9.9
Jasper	1	10.1
Greenville	10	11.3
Charleston	13	12.0
Allendale	2	12.4
Darlington	5	12.8
Beaufort	3	13.5
Sumter	6	14.0
Lancaster	4	14.0
Spartanburg	14	14.9
Marlboro	5	15.0
Orangeburg	10	15.4
Williamsburg	6	15.6
Horry	5	15.6
Chesterfield	5	15.6
Anderson	12	15.7
Union	5	16.5
Edgefield	4	16.7
Lexington	6	16.8
Kershaw	5	17.0
Cherokee	5	18.1
Greenwood	7	19.6
Barnwell	5	21.7
Aiken	10	21.7
Abbeville	6	22.1
Hampton	5	25.3
Laurens	11	25.9
Colleton	8	26.8
Florence	16	31.7
McCormick	6	36.5
Bamberg	13	62.0
Total	247	14.7

Disobedient.

Hiking through the small French town an ignorant chicken unversed in the appetites of American darkies, crossed the road in front of a colored belaborer. With much zeal a sudden [illegible] from the ranks and set out [illegible] Half [illegible] the offender. But law and negro [illegible] their prey. Half [illegible] that the attitude [illegible] darky [illegible] grasped the [illegible] stuffed it [illegible]

AN ORDINANCE

To Require the Payment of License on Business, Occupations and Professions in The City of Camden, S. C., For The Year From May 1, 1922, to May 1, 1923.

[illegible]

[illegible] May 1922, and in a like [illegible] license tax for [illegible] engaged upon such calling, business, profession or occupation as is hereinafter specified:

Section [illegible] Every person, firm, company, or corporation engaged in or attempting to engage in any calling, business, profession or occupation for which a license is required, shall apply to the Clerk and Treasurer of the City of Camden for the same—by whom all such licenses shall be issued, and shall, at the time of applying, make and sign a written statement under oath, and file it with the said Clerk and Treasurer, setting forth: First His, her or its name or style, the name of the persons constituting such firm or company. Second. The calling, business, profession or occupation for which license is required. Third. The place where such calling, business, profession or occupation is to be carried on; the amount of capital invested, or the gross annual income. Parties in business on the first of May, shall make such application for new license and file such written statement before May 21st.

Section 3. A penalty of fifteen per cent shall be added to all license which are not paid during the month of May, 1922, except such as may become due after that time. Provided, however, that immediate payment may be required in each and every case at the discretion of the said Clerk and Treasurer; and the foregoing provision shall in no wise stay or hinder action to enforce immediate payment; which tax and penalty shall be recovered in the manner hereinafter prescribed, and if any person, firm, company or corporation required so to do by the terms of this ordinance shall refuse or neglect to make out and deliver to the Clerk and Treasurer of the City of Camden, on or before the time herein required, the statement provided for by Sec. 2 of this ordinance, or shall make a false statement, or shall refuse to take and subscribe an oath or affirmation as to the truth of such statement, or any part thereof; or from any cause shall fail to take out such license as may be required by this ordinance, the said Clerk and Treasurer shall report the case to the Mayor, who shall proceed to ascertain as nearly as possible, the business of such person, firm, company or corporation, for which he, she or it may be liable to a license tax therefor, and in case of default for the purpose of such investigation; the said Clerk and Treasurer shall notify the person, firms, companies or corporations in default to appear before the Mayor at his office—at a time stated in said notice; and also such witnesses as the Mayor may desire to examine. The witnesses called as aforesaid shall be examined by the Mayor, under oath or affirmation, touching the nature of the business of such party; and everything which may evince the amount of license tax for which such party shall be liable.

From the information thus acquired the Mayor shall find and assess the amount of license tax due by such party whether he, she or it attended the investigation or not; and shall add thereto a penalty of fifteen per cent. thereof and should such license tax and penalty be not paid within five days thereafter, the said Clerk and Treasurer shall issue an execution therefor under his hand, and the seal of the City of Camden, directed to the chief of police of the City of Camden, or to the Sheriff of Kershaw County, in said State and the said Chief of Police or Sherig shall proceed to collect the said license tax and penalty, by levy and sale of real or personal property, as now provided by law for the collection of taxes, together with an additional five per cent of the whole amount, which shall be the Sheriff's or Chief of Police's compensation for making such collection, in addition to one dollar for making such levy, which shall be paid by delinquent without entry or mileage fees; provided, however, that any person or corporation shall have the right of appeal to the City Council of Camden (notice of such appeal having been given to the Clerk and Treasurer within five days from the time of which such assessment of license and penalty shall have been made) and upon hearing such appeal, the said Council shall make such order therein as it shall deem just and proper; and provided further, that in lieu of the remedy above set forth to enforce payment, an action or actions may be brought in any court of competent jurisdiction for the recovery of such license tax and penalties. And provided further that any person, firm company or corporation who shall carry on, or attempt to carry on any calling, business, profession or occupation without a license as herein required, or who shall neglect or refuse to give the information required or to answer such questions as may be required, or who shall fail to attend before the Mayor to be examined by him when so required, as provided in Section 2 and 3 of this ordinance may be deemed guilty of a violation thereof before the Municipal Court and may be fined not more than One Hundred Dollars, or be imprisoned not exceeding thirty days.

Sec. 4. All license granted under this ordinance shall be posted in a conspicuous place, except in case of vehicles for hire, which vehicles shall have placed upon the metal badges with the number of badges and the license year [illegible] such badges to be furnished by the Clerk and Treasurer upon [illegible] of the license tax. Failure to [illegible] such badges will subject the [illegible] covering or using the same to a [illegible] not exceeding Five Dollars or [illegible] not exceeding [illegible] days [illegible] under this ordinance [illegible] times be issued [illegible] any officers of the [illegible] municipal [illegible] Clerk and Treasurer [illegible]

[illegible] May 1922 [illegible] for a period of [illegible] May A. D. 1923 [illegible] license tax [illegible] Clerk and Treasurer for a license [illegible] on the business, calling, profession or occupation in whole or in part within the limits of the City of Camden as in each case specified appears.

Class No. 1

Business or income basis $1,000 on each additional $1,000, ten cents per $1,000.

Where the gross annual income from the business, callings or professions enumerated in the following schedule, shall be One Thousand Dollars or less the license shall be at the rate set forth in said schedule; and where the gross annual income exceeds One Thousand Dollars, the license shall be increased from the amount set forth in said schedule at the rate of ten cents for each Thousand Dollars of gross income in excess of One Thousand Dollars.

Agents for laundries, per year	$ 15.00
Agents Advertising, not a printing office	15.00
Agents for merchant tailors	10.00
Agents selling books per year	20.00
Agents selling books per day	5.00
Agents selling fruit trees or other trees or plants	15.00
Agents, for sale of patent rights of any kind	25.00
Agents selling sewing mechines, not having merchandise license	25.00
Agents selling sewing machines paying merchandise license,	15.00
Agents selling and delivering soft drinks other than those paying license for bottling plants	25.00
Agents advertising land sales where the land is valued at more than $5,000.00 per year.	$100.00
Architects,	10.00
Agents claim and collection	10.00
Auctioneers, for a year or less	10.00
Automobile Agencies	30.00
Automobile dealers or agents not having an established agency in Camden, soliciting and selling automobiles or trucks in Camden, per year	30.00
Automobile Livery or truck, either for passenger or baggage each	15.00
Each additional Livery or truck	10.00
All drivers of automobiles or truck for hire, whether for passengers or baggage, shall be persons of good moral character, and if such drivers upon report to the City Council are found not to be proper persons to run said automobiles or trucks, licenses to the owners of same shall be revoked unless said drivers are immediately taken off said automobiles or trucks.	
Storage of Automobiles, not in connection with any other business, per year	10.00
Barber shops, for each chair	5.00
Bakeries,	10.00
Bakeries, or agents delivering Bread or cakes, etc.	10.00
Bicycles for hire	5.00
Bicycle repair shop	5.00
Bicycle dealers	5.00
Bill posters, per year	15.00
Bill posters, per day	1.00
Billiards, bagatelle or pool tables, each table per year	$ 40.00
Additional tables, per year	10.00
Billiards and pool rooms to be allowed on ground floor only of any building and not to be kept open after 12 o'clock at night.	
And each table shall be considered a separate business.	
Bus and transfers carrying passengers to and from Camden, per year, each	25.00
Blacksmith or wheelwright	10.00
Bowling alley or box ball, each alley	50.00
Brokers, pawn	25.00
Brokers, merchandise	25.00
Brick masons, plasterers, taking contracts	10.00
Firms of Brick Masons, for one member	25.00
Each additional member,	10.00
Brick yards or dealers in bricks	15.00
Boarding houses furnishing board for three or more, for one day or longer for rates up to $1.50 a day, per year	10.00
Boarding Houses furnishing board for three or more, for one day or longer where rates are from $2.00 up per year	20.00
Business or income basis $1,000.00 on each additional $1,000.00, ten cents per $1,000.00	

Where the gross annual income from the business callings or professions enumerated in the following schedule, shall be One Thousand Dollars or less, the license shall be at the rate set forth in said schedule; and where the gross annual income exceeds One Thousand Dollars, the license shall be increased at the rate of ten cents, for each One Thousand of gross income in excess of One Thousand Dollars, From the amount set forth in the said schedule, agents taking orders, or delivering pictures, $25.50 each week.

All builders, contractors or owners of property shall obtain permits for each and every job before the work is commenced, whether the job is done by contract or otherwise, permits to be charged for as fillows: This to be paid in addition to the separate license herein required of painters, plumbers and electricians unless general contract includes same.

$100 and less than $300	1.00
From $300 to $500,	2.00
From 500 to $1,000,	3.00
From $1,000 to $2,000,	5.00
From $2,000 to $3,000,	7.00
From $3,000 to $4,000,	8.00
From $4,000 to $5,000,	10.00
From $5,000 to $7,000,	12.00
From $7,000 to $10,000,	15.00
From $10,000 to $15,000,	20.00
From $15,000 to $20,000,	30.00
From $20,000 to $25,000	40.00
From $25,000 to $35,000	50.00
From $35,000 to $50,000.00	100.00
From $50,000 up	$150.00
Cabinet makers or furniture makers	5.00
Every building contractor not herein specified,	10.00
Every [illegible]	10.00
Every [illegible]	10.00
Every [illegible]	1.00
Every [illegible] per year	15.00
Every [illegible]	10.00
Circuses, [illegible] and wagon dealers not being merchants [illegible]	15.00
Circuses, menageries, animal shows, wild west shows and similar exhibitions under what ever name, carrying ten or less number of cars for transportation of people, animals, equipment, paraphernalia or fixtures connected with or incident to the show, per day or part of a day	100.00
Circuses, menageries and shows as above enumerated, and carrying more than ten cars, not over 25 cars, per day or part of a day	150.00
Circuses, menageries and shows as above enumerated and carrying more than 25 cars, per day or part of day	200.00
Circus parades or parades of Menageries, animal shows, wild west shows, as above named when the show locates outside of city limits, shall pay for each parade, the same license as such circus, menagerie or other show would be required to pay for exhibiting within the corporated limits.	
Corn and flour mills, each	10.00
Cotton seed oil mills including gins	75.00
Cotton ginners, for each gin	5.00
Cotton mills	75.00
Civil Engineers and surveyors, or either	10.00
Druggist, licensed druggist other than the proprietor, each	5.00
Dealers in caskets and coffins, paying merchandise license	20.00
Dealers in second hand clothing, whether connected with other business or not	25.00
Dealers in second hand shoes, whether with other business or not	25.00
Dealers in fertilizer or agents for dealers in fertilizer, selling to consumers not paying merchants license	25.00
Dealers in fruit, peanuts or cooked food on streets, per day	1.00
Dealers in fish or oysters or either at place of business	10.00
Dealers in hides except those paying mercantile license	25.00
Dealers in ice cream, lemonads or soda water on the streets, per day	1.00
Dealers in junk	50.00
Dealers in junk, per month	25.00
Dealers in Medicine other than regular druggist of the City either on the Street or private property, and whether delivering the Medicine themselves or thru orders to Drug stores per week	100.00
per day	20.00
Dealers in millinery goods, not paying merchants license	15.00
Dealers in stocks and bonds as brokers	10.00
Dealers in kerosene, oil, gasoline or either, other than merchants	100.00
Dealers in coffins, caskets, paying merchandise license per year	15.00
Dealers in stocks and bonds, as brokers, per year	25.00
Dealers in wood, coal or coke, per year	20.00
Dealers in second hand machinery per year	25.00
Dentists	15.00
Electrician, taking contracts, doing electrical work, or selling electrical supplies	15.00
Exhibitions, traveling theatrical, Musical or other for gain not in opera house, $25.00 to $100, in the discretion of Mayor and City Clerk.	
Fruits and vegetables sold in carload lots, either from railroad station, or other place of business within the city, and sold either by wholesale or retail, per day	15.00
Flying Jennies, or horse or steam riding galleries, per week	50.00
Filling Station not in connection with any other business per year	50.00
Filling Station in connection with Storage of cars per year,	60.00
Garages and storage	50.00
Gunsmiths	5.00
Hair dressers or chiropodists	10.00
Harness repairers	10.00
Hotels from two rooms to twenty (20) rooms, per year	20.00
Hotel from twenty (20) rooms to Seventy-five (75) rooms, per year	40.00
Hotel from Seventy-five (75) rooms upward, per year	75.00
Hucksters or peddlers of fruit, Vegetables, etc., including Ready Rolling Stores, each peddling goods, wares and other merchandise, manufactured articles, all fruits, vegetables, melons, eggs and all other kind of farm products, not having regular stands per year, each	25.00
Said hucksters or peddlers not to sell on DeKalb street from Church to Market, or on Broad Street, from Lafayette to York, provided however, in the case of wholesale deliveries to merchants that they can go on prohibited areas for the purpose of making said delivery.	
Hucksters or peddlers selling fresh meats, of any kind, or dressed fowls on the streets in wagons, each per year	30.00
No hucksters or people selling said fresh meats of fowls to sell same on DeKalb street from Church to Market street, or on Broad Street from LaFayette to York. Wholesale deliveries of meats and fowl to wholesale meat markets may be made on said prohibited areas. All such wagons from which said fresh meats may be sold during every month of the year except December, January, February to keep the meats in said wagons in refrigerators of sufficient capacity to carry the said stock and all portions of said wagons not taken up by refrigerators to be screened and said refrigerators at all times to be kept in a sanitary condition subject at all times to inspection by the health officer or anyone designated by him. No license for sale of such meats in wagons on streets is to be granted by the City without the application first being submitted and approved by the health officer of the city of Camden.	
Ice dealers	10.00
Ice manufacturers [illegible] factory	25.00
Labor agents	100.00
Land loan companies or agents lending money on real estate, by mortage or otherwise	20.00
Laundries	10.00
Lawyers	15.00
Firms of lawyers for one member	15.00
Each additional member	10.00
Lenders of money on personal property, whether in connection with other business or not except such as are otherwise specified in this ordinance	1,000.00
Livery, feed and sales stables	25.00
Livery and drayage business for each animal	5.00
Lumber dealers or brokers, retail whether resident or not other than lumber or shingles from timber or land owned by sellers	20.00
Lunch stands	10.00
House painters, paper hangers, interior decorators, taking contracts, per year	15.00
Steeple jack painters, per year	15.00
per day	1.00
Piano tuners repairers of musical instruments, per year	5.00
Machine shops	35.00
Moving picture shows, for each place of business	50.00
Manufacturers or bottlers of soda water Coco Cola, ginger ale, and such like soft drinks	25.00
Musical instruments, whether connected with other business or not	15.00
Manufacturers ice cream, not in connection with ice cream parlors, per year	10.00
Meat markets, green groceries, per year	30.00
All markets to be screened in accordance with the directions of the board of Health and subject at all times to inspection by the Board of Health and kept in sanitary condition.	
Newspapers, whether connected with job work or not	15.00
Old Hoss sales	50.00
Oculists or opticians	15.00
Peddlers or agents soliciting or delivering photographs, lithographs, pictures, etc., for copying or enlarging, per week	25.00
Peddlers or vendors selling merchandise of any description, per week	100.00
per day	20.00
Physicians and Surgeons or either	15.00
Physicians and suregeons, or either in firms, for first member	5.00
For said additional member	10.00
Popcorn and peanut parchers each not in connection with other business	10.00
Printers, job, in connection with newspapers	5.00
Photographers	10.00
Photographers, per day	5.00
Pressing clubs	10.00
Plumbers, gas fitters, heating contractors, tinners and steam fitters, or either, taking contracts	15.00
Real estate agents	25.00
Restaurants, Cafes and cook shop each,	25.00
Saddle or buggy horse for hire each,	5.00
Salvage companies or persons taking charge of mercantile stock, or other stock not their own, per day	5.00
Shoe and boot repairers	10.00
Shoe shiners, if on street or public place of the City, location to be directed and controlled by the police department, each	2.00
Shooting gallaries, per month	5.00
Sign painters	5.00
Skating rinks per month	5.00
per year	10.00
Soda Founts, whether connected with other business or not	10.00
Stove repairers, itinerant, per day $1.00	5.00
Stallion or Jack for service	10.00
Tailors, dyers, cleaners, or agents for either	10.00
Trucks hauling merchandise into or out of the City of Camden, other than merchandise owned by the owner of said truck each, per year	15.00
Undertakers	35.00
Veterinary surgeons	15.00
Watch makers, whether connected with other business or not	5.00
Warehouse, charging storage	25.00

Class No. 2

Business or income basis, $1,000, on each additional $1,000, 10 cents per $1,000. Where the gross annual income from the business, callings or professions enumerated in the following schedule, shall be One Thousand Dollars or less, the license shall be at the rate set forth in said schedule; and where the gross annual income exceeds one Thousand Dollars the license shall be increased from the amount set forth in said schedule at the rate of ten cents for each One Thousand Dollars of gross income in excess of One Thousand Dollars Banks, fifty cents, and fifty cents on each $1,000.00 of capital and surplus.

Express, Companies or agencies, for business done exclusively in the City of Camden, and not including any business done to and from points without the State, and not including any business done for the government of the United States, its officers or agents	75.00
Railroads, for business done exclusively within the City or Camden, and not including any business done to or from points without the State, and not including any business done for the government of the United States, its officers or agents for each road entering the City	100.00
Telegraph companies or agencies each, for business done within the City of Camden, with points within the State, and not including any business done for the government of the United States when said telegraph companies maintain one hundred (100) offices or less whether or not said offices are run in connection with any railroad station within the State	50.00
When said telegraph companies or agencies maintain more than one hundred (100) offices whether or not said offices are run in connection with any rail road station within the State	75.00
Telephone Companies or agencies, each for business done within the City of Camden, with points within the State and not including any business done for the government of the United States	100.00

Class No. 3.

Business or income basis, $1,000 on each additional $1,000, ten cents per $1,000.00.

Where the gross annual income from the business calling or professions enumerated in the following schedule, shall be One Thousand Dollars or less, the license shall be at the rate set forth in said schedule; and where the gross annual income exceeds One Thousand Dollars, the license shall be increased from the amount set forth in said schedule, at the rate of ten cents for each One Thousand dollars of gross income in excess of One Thousand dollars.

Merchants stocks, retail or whole sale, including all classes of merchants, drugs, jewelery, books, stationery, wagons, buggies, harness, hardware, etc.

Merchandise License

Less than $300, per year	5.00
$300 less than $500, per year	7.50
$500 less than $1,000, per year	15.00
$1,000 less than $1,500, per year	20.00
$1,500 less than $2,000, per year	25.00
$2,000 less than $2,500, per year	30.00
$3,000 less than $3,500, per year	35.00
$3,500 less than $4,000, per year	40.00
$4,000 less than $4,500, per year	45.00
$4,500 less than $5,000, per year	50.00
$5,000 less than $5,500, per year	35.00
$5,500 less than $6,000, per year	60.00
$6,000 less than $6,500, per year	65.00
$6,500 less than $7,000, per year	70.00
$7,000 less than $7,500, per year	75.00
$10,000 and above, per pear	100.00
Accident, Automobile, Casulty Fidelity, Guarantee Plate Glass or other like Insurance Company, each Company represented	10.00
Life Insurance Companies (each)	25.00
Insurance Live Stock (each company)	10.00

Section VII. The license on any business or occupation not named in the foregoing schedule, shall be fixed by the Mayor and Clerk.

Sec. VIII. Wherever in this ordinance the terms "persons, firm, company, corporation or party" are used, the same shall include not only the principals, but in their absence shall include any agent, clerk or employee having charge, management or control of the business, calling, occupation, or profession referred to; and such agent, clerk, or employee shall be subject to the penalties herein imposed for failure to comply with the terms and requirements of this ordinance, in the same manner as if he, she or they were principals or proprietors.

Sec. IX. This ordinance shall go into effect on and from the first day of May, A. D. 1922, and all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Done and ratified in Council assembled, under the corporate seal of the City of Camden, S. C., this the 25th day of April, 1922.

H. G. CARRISON, Jr.,
Mayor.

Attest.
H. G. SINGLETON, City Clerk.

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